

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 28, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The branding device 210 then generates a branding certificate ~~217~~ 215 (Figure 2) at 410 that tells the networked computing device 220 to trust the branding device. The branding certificate also provides the networked computing device with the branding device's public key for use in checking certificates provided by other devices that claim to be authorized by the branding device.